Zionists At Record Rally Denounce British Policy

Y.C. Student Body Marches En Masse

In a spontaneous gesture of unity, more than five hundred Yeshiva students paraded up Fifth Avenue with other religious, civic, and Zionist organizations to participate in the giant rally on Wednesday, October 24, in Madison Square Garden to protest Britain's policy in Palestine. The two hundred and fifty thousand Jews who attended the meeting, despite the threatening weather, comprised the largest mass demonstration in the city's history.

"Is there to be one justice for the world and another justice— which is injustice for the people?" demanded Rabbi Seymour M. Zuckerman, general secretary of the American Jewish Congress.

"Are Jews to be pursued, humiliated, and killed under the flag of God and humanity? Will we not stand up for the Jewish people?" asks the "friend" of his." The rest of the speech was interrupted by the sound of a gun, and Rabbi Zuckerman went on to say:

Dean Sar On Leave Abroad For UNRRA

Frankfurt-on-Main is the present address of Samuel Sar, Dean of Men at Yeshiva and Yeshiva College, presently on leave to serve with UNRRA. Replacing him will be Joseph Lowenstein, the American Jewish Conference. Dean Sar has a rank equivalent to a Lieutenant colonel.

The executive of the Jewish community of Frankfurt-on-Main employs him in the capacity of his work in Germany and Austria. Dean Sar requests the release of more than 150 persons who want to leave the concentration camps and the planning of self-governing communities in those camps. To help him in this work, Dean Sar took with him more than two hundred copies of "Tefillah" and other Hebrew pamphlets provided by the American Jewish Congress.

Rabbi J. Loewenstein
Chosen By J.W.B.
For Overseas Tour

J.W.B. announced Thursday, Oct. 24, Rabbi J. Loewenstein, rector of the Yeshiva College, was appointed, in an exclusive interview with the Community, that he has been chosen to represent the Jewish Welfare Board for the Middle East. Rabbi Loewenstein will take a tour of duty as a chaplain under the auspices of the United States Army, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He is expected to do a year's work in Germany and Austria.

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Former Polish Senator\nFollowing Siege Of Lisbon

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DRAMA TICKETS

"Deep Are The Roots"

Theatrical performance reviews

RENEW THE LIBRARY!

The heart and lifeblood of any institution of higher learning is its library. In the light of this indisputable fact it is incomprehensible to us why the last item to be considered within any remnant or reconstruction is library. When we think of Yeshiva University in the streets of the world's largest city, letting the world know once and for all where the students of this school stand in regard to the abrogation of the infamous White Paper and the establishment of a Jewish state in Palestine.

In marked contrast was the meager turnout of the Jewish Theological Seminary. A mere fifteen or twenty representatives of that so-called "Zionist institution" joined in the protest march. Rabbi Wise's Institute of Religion did no better. Let us hear no more of the claim that there is a lack of lack of interest! The question is the lack of interest! The question is the lack of interest!...
Blue And White Hoopmen
Keep In Tilt—At A Cost

With the Mites weaker than last year, at least on paper, Coach Barach has been assiduously engaged in an attempt to jolt out a winning habit for the approaching basketball season. The "Curried Top" thus far has found a one word solution—"decide," for love has been the driving speed and anguished phase in his workouts with the squad.

Juniors entering the step-stool High school gymnastics
uprating for the Quints' practice, it would appear that a track
team was preparing for a cross-country run, what with the play-
cutสถาิต the gym at top speed in a seemingly endless marathon.
During the first few sessions the competitors were whirling and groaning to the accompaniment of creating muscles as they sought to round trip shots. This is no longer the case, however, for now on only occasional groan is emit-
ted by the interested candidates as they vend their weary way around the running track. The squad undoubtedly is faster and in better condition than those of past years, affording the fans some hope that a team such as was ad-

Yeshiva Cards

Heavy Slate
Athletic Manager By Peers

Yeshiva is set for a dense schedule this fall. The basketball season at Central High School for Needle Trades and Brooklyn Tech High School will serve as the nucleus of the Mite home games, with the contests beginning at 6:30 p.m.
Dec. 1 H.Y.U. College of Den-
a Law, 8:30 p.m.
Dec. 4 Passaic College, 8:30 p.m.
Dec. 6 St. John's College, 8:30 p.m.
Dec. 11 Cathedral, 8:30 p.m.
Dec. 23 Virginia Union, 8:30 p.m.
Dec. 31 Brooklyn College, 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 9 Brooklyn Army Base, 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 18 Harvard, 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 28 Iona, 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 31 Brooklyn Army Base, 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 7 Cathedral, 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 8 Fordham College, 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 15 St. John's College, 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 18 Hofstra, 8:30 p.m.
Feb. 25 Iona*, 8:30 p.m.
Mar. 9 Cathedral*, 8:30 p.m.
Mar. 15 Hofstra*, 8:30 p.m.
Mar. 21 Concordia*, 8:30 p.m.

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Rickey's Signing
Of Negro Star

Blast At Bigots

by Louis Ginsburg

BRANCH RICKEY exploded a proverbial powder keg in the baseball world with his announced signing of Jackie Robinson, Negro diamond star, by the Montreal Royals of the International League. The Dodgers' proxy in hiring the quadruplet U.C.L.A. athletes has succeeded in flooding all the battlement traditions and fetishes which have heretofore posed an impermeable barrier to the Negro athlete seeking to enter organized baseball. Deacon Rickey while thundering his nose at baseball's bigots has undertaken a daring experiment which already has developed a vast number of repercussions. There are those who cry that the wily Rickey has hired Robinson with an eye to the box office or some such similar reason. We are naive enough to want to believe that Mr. Rickey availed Jackie's signature to a contract for his baseball prowess only, just as he said other athletes no matter what the color of his skin.

Truly enough during baseball's off-season Negro and white athletes have jointly undertaken harmonizing tours. Yet, the Baseball Moguls were always reluctant to add the names of any Negro ballplayers to their rosters. It resounded for the most liberal minded of them all to take the ball by the horns and proclaim that there is no place for Jim Crowism in the "great national pastime." We're routing for the clean living, Georgia born Negro shortstop is made as great a showing on the baseball-diamonds of the international circuit as he did in the service of Uncle Sam. Good luck, Jackie!!

SOME WOULD have us believe that the Negro is incapable of filling an assignment in "big time" baseball. We're wondering just what paramountness they do in the size of one's balling average or one's fielding ability. That being the case, we're inclined to go along with Dan Parker, New York Mirror sports writer who states, "Why a good respectable Negro athlete shouldn't fit in just as well into Organized Ball as he does into college football, basketball, box-
ing, and cricket (to drag an ally into the argument) is something I have never been able to understand the Negro inter-racial relations in these sports." Well put, Mr. Parker?

Yeshiva's basketball squad, not to be outdone in the matter of mounting Intercollegial good will, has scheduled a pair of contests with two all-Negro hoop aggregations. The Mites will meet a powerful quintet from Virginia Union, Saturday evening, Dec. 26th on a Gotham hardwood yet to be selected. The Blues and White Five will journey to Olympic Stadium, Philadelphia the fol-

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New Dormitory Supervisor Discloses Life History

"Come in, please," rang out a sharp, resonant voice from within the walls of the dormitory office. The voice was clear, with a firm ring, and was friendly and warm as the greeting of the former science teacher, Mr. Baer, who now heads the dormitory affairs.

Happily surprised by his first Yeshiva interview, Mr. Baer answered my first question. "Well, I'm new here and I don't know much about the Yeshiva." But after he stated the new dormitory policies, I continued: "Mr. Baer, I've heard that you have a very interesting and exciting career." With his head bowed in thought, then, with a confused grin on his face, a furtive twinkle in his eyes as he commented, "I was born in Berlin, Germany, into a very orthodox Jewish family. My elementary schooling included German public and high school and six years of Talmud Torah. There was no Yeshiva in my section. After Talmud Torah, I studied alone and with other commanaries.

Higher Education

From what I gathered from the conversation, Mr. Baer is quite well versed in Jewish tradition and lore. His thoughts on the subject of his education may be adequately summed up in his own words, "You see, I've been my own teacher in Jewish learning all my life."

"About my higher formal or secular education which you ask me," Mr. Baer then continued, raising his voice considerably, "I attended the Universities of Berlin, Munich, and Marburg, where I received the 'diploim'. Having taught, I had 100 students in my school. I am now teaching 300 students in my school and these are my students that I have taught."

L. Ginsburg Promoted

The Governing Board of The Commemorator announces the resignation of Louis Feinstien from the post of News Editor. Louis Ginsburg '48 has been named to fill the vacant position.

Ginsburg has served on The Commemorator during his four years as a sports reporter and was elected Sports Editor for this year.

Gwendolyn

The entire student body of Yeshiva College wishes to extend its sincerest congratulations to our registrar, Mrs. Deborah Wessenthal and her husband on the birth of a baby boy on Sunday, Oct. 28th. Best wishes to a future Y.C. student.

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